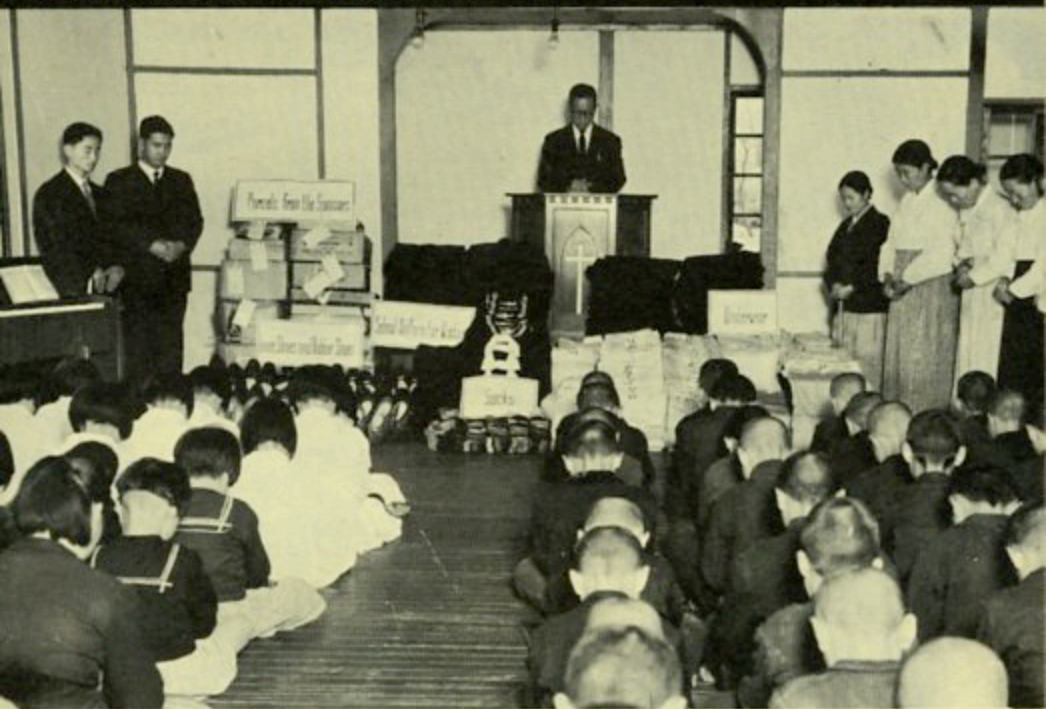


Compassion

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I have Compassion on the multitude — I will not send them away. — Matt. 15:32



ORPHAN'S THANKSGIVING DAY

No, not "Turkey Day" but a day of Thanksgiving much greater than any of us could possibly experience! Every orphanage will have a day such as this when all the clothing, shoes and blankets provided for by the WARM Program will be displayed in front of the chapel. Prayers and songs of thanksgiving will be mingled with tears of joy. How grateful they are to each one of you who have contributed so generously to this program, and how they thank God for you! What JOY when the clothing is distributed! Above is a picture of such a service taken at the Good Samaritan Orphanage at a previous Thanksgiving service. "It is more blessed to give than to receive."

A Year Round Warm Program



This is quite "a yarn," but its TRUE! Mrs. Florence M. Spence, 5 Seneca Park Circle, Rochester, New York, 14615, is pictured above with 100 of the 300 pairs of mittens she has knitted this year! They are due to arrive in Korea now. She is determined to make 300 pair again in the coming twelve months. She will need more yarn and we are sure many of you will send her some. She can use any kind and color. Mrs. Spence writes, "I have complete confidence in your organization and am sure you will use my mittens to the Glory of God." Six hundred thanks to this dear retired (?) lady with great love and COMPASSION!

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We are still far short of the needed funds for our 1963 WARM Program. If you can spare a dollar, two or five, or more, please do so. For all gifts for WARM of \$12 or more (for two complete outfits), we will be happy to send our beautiful 12" LP RCA recording (monaural or stereo). You, too, will be thrilled with the singing of our Korean orphans.

Heartbeat of Compassion, Inc.

by Everett F. Swanson, Founder — Director

Many of our friends have heard or read about the cholera epidemic in Korea which began about September 22. Our Korean leaders were forced to cancel the Bible Conference planned for October 21-25 because of travel restrictions and dangers of gathering in a crowd. Reluctantly we agreed. Many of our evangelist supporters sent funds to pay their expenses. We are now planning for such a Conference in the Spring and these funds will be used entirely for that purpose, unless requested otherwise.

What are you thankful for as we approach Thanksgiving Day and Christmas? Above all else, I'm thankful for Christ Jesus whom God sent to die for my sins — and yours. Then I'm thankful for the privilege of helping to make this good news known, especially in a heathen land like Korea. Finally, I'm so very thankful for your giving, with a heart of COMPASSION, to make all this possible.

I think a few words from Mr. Min Nam Sik, Supt. of Treasure of Truth Orphanage, will tell you what I mean — "Our volunteer group made ten classes during the summer vacation. They went out to the villages and taught the residents hymn songs and God's Word for three days. They reported me that over two hundred adults and children made their decisions for Christ."

He went on to say, "We had a camp for five days for the children and did evangelistic work among the people. They wanted us to erect a church for them and also wanted us to send an evangelist for them. They thanked us, gave us food and loved our children. I am going to send an evangelist for them to win them to Christ." Yes, I'm thankful to God for YOU who make COMPASSION'S expanding ministries possible day after day.



This is Suh Sung Hee as she was when Miriam and I began to sponsor her, and how she looks now, six years old. She was thrown away near the orphanage gate. COMPASSION saved her.

Photo Packets Are Real Missionaries

The packet of photos enclosed need you and your PRAYERS. These are a few of the hundreds of unsponsored children that have been taken into our orphanages. Recently, a packet (sent out months before) was shown by a lady sponsor to a friend, who promptly decided to sponsor all *ten* of them! Since by that time those children had been chosen, she gladly selected ten others to sponsor. You, too, may be a missionary for Compassion by showing these pictures to *ten* of your friends either at work or in your neighborhood, relatives, Sunday school classes, church groups, etc. Please pray with us that sponsors may be obtained. We still have hundreds of unsponsored children!

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"Greetings to you from all of us in the precious name of Jesus Christ! In your unceasing prayer and loving care, everything is well with us in our home. I am really at a loss to express my gratitude for your compassionate generosity. The increasing of support for each child would bring enormous impact on the lives of these children. Where could your compassion and sincerity be proved better than the one by which you have just revealed? The increased support can insure the rapid progress of the works you are engaged in as well as the Homes."

SON KI CHANG, SUPT. EASTERN LIGHT ORPH.

FEMALE OFFICE HELP NEEDED

Our growing work requires more help in our Chicago office. If you are a born-again Christian with a sincere desire to serve the Lord by doing office work, please write or call. File clerk, typist, answering letters, general office. Good wages and benefits offered. We will help you obtain a place to live with other Christians if you wish. Write for application blank. Chicagoland Women: We can use part time workers or volunteers at rush times.

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To Korean President

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COMING SOON!



"RUNAWAY"

New 28-minute Sound-Color Film

A tender, compelling story of a young Korean lad who flees his orphanage in anguish when his sponsor dies. Later his new American sponsor comes to visit him. In heart-warming climax, the American is led to a vital faith in Christ. Ideal for Christmas or New Year's Eve showing.

Filmed in Korea. Rental \$15. Please indicate 1, 2 or 3 choice showing dates. Available about November 30 from 16mm film libraries, or write direct to COMPASSION.

Orphan Boy Witnesses To Korean President

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BABY SHOE OFFER EXTENDED

We have had a very fine response to our offer of sending a pair of Korean baby shoes to those who would help us by sending in names of three (or more) interested friends. We sincerely thank all of you who have sent these lists. We have already obtained many fine sponsors as a result and anticipate many more! However, we feel, that others really intended to send us such a list but just "didn't get to it"—so we are extending our offer until December 31st! If you have friends who you feel would be sincerely interested in learning of our sponsorship plan, let us hear from you soon!

These shoes are so cute and colorful, they will become a wonderful conversation piece in your home and best of all, your friends will become better acquainted with COMPASSION.

THREE WAYS TO OBTAIN SHOES

1. Send us the names of just three (or more) of YOUR FRIENDS.
2. NON-SPONSORS who will agree to sponsor a child.
3. PRESENT SPONSORS who will sponsor *yet another* child.

cut here and mail

- () I am a sponsor; I wish to sponsor another orphan () boy () girl
 Approx. Age _____
- () I am not a sponsor; I wish to sponsor an orphan (Indicate above)
- () I feel the following would be interested in receiving COMPASSION information.
- You may use my name () Please do not use my name ()

Name _____

Address _____

Name _____

Address _____

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Name _____

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(Write your own name and address separately for the shoes)



Christmas Is For Children

If you wish to send your orphan, student or native missionary a Christmas gift, there are two ways—

1. SEND ALL PARCELS DIRECTLY TO THE ORPHANAGE but *HURRY* or it may not arrive in time for Christmas! You will receive an acknowledgment card when it arrives, and then after Christmas you will be sent a letter and picture of the child with the gifts. Please be patient though, because some orphanages have hundreds of children.

2. SEND ALL MONEY GIFTS TO OUR CHICAGO OFFICE using the coupon below. This is easier for you—no shopping, postage, insurance or wrong measurements to worry about. Every gift is sent 100% to Korea and an orphanage staff member or the director will purchase the gifts. This also helps the economy of Korea. Last Christmas we were nearly "snowed under" with the extra work involved with these *money gifts* so SEND IT NOW if possible. Again may we say we do not EXPECT you to send gifts. Thanks a million. God bless you and have a blessed Christmas as you give to those who cannot give in return.

(Cut here and mail to Chicago office — Not to Korea)

I enclose \$ _____ to buy a Christmas gift in Korea for:

Name &
 Orphan(s) Number _____

Orphanage Name _____

Un-sponsored orphans in _____ Orphanage Name _____

Name &
 Native Worker or Student Number _____

Donor's Name _____

Address _____



Letters of Compassion

"A young man aged 27 went to a market with a bundle of chopped woods and sold them for a gallon of barley but unfortunately was frozen to death on his way home as the air was achingly cold and his stomach was empty."

EVANGELIST AHN SUK YONG #565

"When my purse is very low and I have to trust God for everything anyway, I am going to send you this dollar by faith in Jesus Christ my Lord, to help WARM some very needy little child." Mrs. L. M. California

"Isn't it a working of God how we, Assembly of God college young people, through Rev. Swanson, a Baptist, can provide a small part of a Presbyterian pastor's support 8000 miles away in Korea?" B.R.

"I have opened a small shop in my home, selling religious supplies for churches, Sunday schools and individuals, in order to raise money to help more orphans in Korea. I will send one-half of the profits until my loan is paid back, then 100% of the profits. Please pray for the success of this project." Mrs. A. Q. Kansas

"You cannot know what a joy it is to find a place for our gifts of love. For several months we have been searching. Then we received the report about your work through Life Messengers. The Spirit of God moved upon my soul. As I wrote out the check God blessed me until tears rolled down my cheeks, for sheer joy." Mrs. H. L. California

(Written 12/25/62) "It is Christmas night in Illinois. My wife and I are students and considered poor. Yet, by the grace of God, we have a warm home, more clothes than we need, true friends, enough food to grow fat on, and in a few months a child of our own. This Christmas we want to share these blessings with as many others as we can. My family is not poor. Rather than send a trivial gift to my brother, we have chosen to support COMPASSION in His name, in order that these children may know that God came to man to give him everlasting life." R. L. M.

"I wish I could show you the children of our Home; how happy and smiling they are, and how excited they get when our mail man comes to deliver the mail from our sponsors. Every time the mail man comes, there is a turmoil of snatching off the mails or asking for them. We never fail to include the welfares of sponsors in our prayers."

Mrs. KIM OK HWA, SUPT. CHUN AN ORPH.

"Well, let me give you a good news of our Home. On July 4th there opened Bible Quiz Programs at Seoul Christian Broadcasting Station in attendance of many orphanages' children, and to my great delight our children won the first place honor twice! It proves that they are very faithful in reading and learning the Bible. Last week there was a summer Bible School at the neighboring church and 33 of our children attended it. A Bible reciting contest was held at the Bible School, and there our children also won good prizes ranging from third to first. You may be glad to hear such a wonderful news." Mrs. KIM JUNG SOOK, SUPT. MERCY LOVE ORPH.